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REUBEN EMERY, Prop.  
This house has recently changed hands and special pains will be taken to please guests.

**RAPLEY HOUSE,**  
THOS. RAPLEY, PROPRIETOR.  
A general invitation is extended to all to call and see me when in town. Good accommodations for Commercial Travelers and Farmers.  
A Choice Selection of Wines, Liquors and Cigars always on hand.

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**Jewelry, Watches,**  
Clocks, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Pitchers, Card Receivers, Gold and Silver Plated Ware.  
We always have a good Stock of  
**HOLIDAY NOVELTIES**

You are cordially invited and earnestly requested to examine our stock in this Department and compare goods and prices before purchasing.

**BROCKWAY CENTRE MARKET.**  
Reports corrected every Wednesday by O. W. Mills

Wheat No 1 White 92  
Wheat No 2 " 85  
Wheat No 3 white 70  
Wheat No 2 Red 92  
Wheat No 2 Spring 80  
Oats white 35  
Oats mixed 33  
Barley, 100lbs 1 00 @ 1 25  
Peas 60  
Butter 25  
Eggs 20

## Local Expositions.

—Joel M. Jones, of Peck, has made an assignment.

—Jas McDonough visited friends in town Thanksgiving.

—E. Gordon is at present visiting his brother in Detroit.

—Chas Macaulay, of Armada, called at this office on Tuesday.

—Sidney Parker shot a wild turkey last week weighing 22 pounds.

—Hollywood & McKinnon's is the place to buy Christmas presents.

—Mrs Davis and sister Miss M. Bettis are visiting friends in town.

—Frank Woodward, of Strathroy, is visiting his brother John here in town.

—There were 53 numbers sold at C. F. Michaels' dance last Monday night.

—Call and see Hollywood & McKinnon's new stock of holiday goods.

—Michael Darcy, of St. Louis, visited with his brother T. Darcy over Sunday.

—D. Barry, of the Morning Telegraph Port Huron, made us a visit on Tuesday.

—W. J. Rapley, late operator at Vassar, is now located at the Saginaw Junction.

—The Good Templars will give an entertainment through the holidays sometime.

—George Hayes our pumpmaker is having a good trade and selling as cheap as usual.

—G. W. McKinnon has recovered from his recent illness and is able to be around again.

—Rev C. B. Clark, opened revival meetings at the M. P. church last Tuesday evening.

—Gift cups, toilet sets, crucifixes, and fancy ware in great variety at Hollywood & McKinnon's.

—Buy vases and toy sets of Hollywood & McKinnon where you have a chance for a selection.

—H. B. Buckridge, of the firm of Buckridge & Co, Pt Huron, made us a very pleasant visit yesterday.

—H. Griswold took six horses to Bay City, last Monday, where he will dispose of them to lumbermen.

—Horace Baker and wife and Mrs W. N. McKenna spent Thanksgiving with Mr and Mrs J. F. Holden.

—P. Chamberlain, of Ingersoll Ont., has been visiting with his daughter, W. H. Palmer, for the past week.

—Miss Bertie Bowers and Miss Carrie Smith, of Pt Huron visited at Geo N. Turner's over Thanksgiving.

—Del Waldorff, left with his family for Lapeer last Saturday where he will hereafter make his stay. He has rented his farm to Geo Stanley.

—A number of the young folks were down on the ice skating last evening. They say the ice is very poor and that considerable "tumbling" was indulged in.

—Parties intending to purchase holiday presents will remember that A. G. Brown has just received a fine lot of suitable presents in the furniture line.

—Everybody should remember in purchasing dry goods or presents for the holidays that Holden Bros have a complete line and a fine assortment to select from.

—The morning train was delayed at Marlette last Monday, by some mishap in the tank up there and consequently did not pass here until about three o'clock in the afternoon.

—W. R. Gillett, of Riley Centre, is building a fanning mill manufactory which will have a capacity of ten mills per day. That is live enterprise for a little place like Riley Centre.

—Jas Harris and C. W. Stratton, of Brockway, made us a call on Wednesday. The many friends of Mr Harris will be pleased to learn of his being able to get around in his usual health after such a long illness.

—A 11-year-old son of Amasa Brown had a peck of his cheek bitten out by a vicious horse last week. It seems that the boy was fooling with the horse while it was eating therefor meeting with this mishap.

—We received a copy of "Our Arts" written by C. W. Stratton and read at the Thanksgiving services in Brockway but on account of lack of space we are unable to publish it this week. It is a well written article and contains considerable thought.

—We take this opportunity of informing the public that when they wish to engage a first-class auctioneer, one who understands his business, we refer you to G. W. Bell. He has had considerable experience in this line and can give you good satisfaction.

—Granger & Co, the new dry goods firm at Port Huron, greet our readers with a new advertisement in this issue.

Messrs Granger & Co have an immense stock of goods to select from and all their goods are new and of the latest styles. Store in the Opera House Block, south side.

—The entertainment at the M. E. church on Thanksgiving evening was in every way a success. The thanks offering of the people for the purchase of a bell for the church was characteristic of a generous and liberal spirit.

\$80 being the amount given. We are informed that this amount insures a suitable bell.

—L. A. Sherman, agent for the "Bell Telephone Co.," informs us that he is contemplating running a line through old Brockway to Inlay City and other places out that way and if Brockway Centre is willing to subscribe \$1,000 she may have a branch line to Brockway which will connect us with Port Huron. Mr Sherman will visit this place soon.

—A collision occurred on the Port Huron & Northwestern R'y at a sharp curve near Kingsley's station on Sunday afternoon. Engines No. 12 and No. 5 and one freight car were wrecked and Jerry Madden, engineer of No. 12, was badly scalded on the back and left arm. John Gore, the other engineer jumped and a railroad his right ankle. The accident occurred at a point where the train men could not see far ahead.

### The Girly Girl.

The girly girl is the truest girl. She is what she seems and not a sham and a pretense. The slangy girl has a hard job of it not to forget her character. The boy girl and the rapid girl are likewise wearers of masks. The girly girl never bothers about woman's rights and woman's wrongs. She is a girl, and is glad of it. She would not be a boy and grow up into a man and vote and go to war and puzzle her brain about stocks for a kingdom. She knows nothing about business, and does not want to know any thing about it. Her aim is to marry some good fellow and make him a good wife and she generally succeeds in doing both. She delights in dress and every thing that is pretty, and is not ashamed to own up that she does. She is pleased when she is admired, and lets you see that she is. She is feminine from the top of her head to the end of her toes and if you try to draw her into the discussion of dry themes she tells you squarely that the conversation does not suit her. She is the personification of frankness. There is not a particle of humbug in her composition. Here is health to the girly girl! May her number never grow less.

### Punctuated Jokes.

If brevity is the soul of wit, how is this? —*Wheeling Journal.*

It is without a f.—*N. Y. Enterprise.*

Do you expect anybody to "a" that?—*Philadelphia Sunday Mirror.*

Those are the worst jokes of the.—*Washington Post.*

My \*\*\* you're pointed as a f, aren't you?—*Burlington Enterprise.*

We— the opportunity to say that these are real ??? you fellows proposed.—*Gold.*

Well, they offer us a sours sort of amusement at best, and—our spirits greatly.—*Elevated Railway Journal.*

If you were in this g of country we would grasp your ???.—*Meriden Recorder.*

An editor is an \* his reputation with such puns.—*Welcome.*

Much ado about o.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Ask your Grocer for Port Huron Brooms. Take no other. Every one warranted. Manufactured by E. Percival & Son. 10ms.

**FARM FOR SALE.**—North West 1/4 of the south west 1/4 of section 9 Town 8 north range 13 east. For further particulars apply to J. L. Westover, Brockway Centre. 29-1m.

**Wanted.**—At the Brockway Centre Woolen Mills, 300 cords of good soft wood, this winter. C. ANDREAS & SONS.

**FOR SALE.**—One pair of oxen seven years old, weight 3,000 pounds, also two good milch cows. Call on or address H. B. Gough Brockway Centre.

**EDITOR WEEKLY EXPOSITOR.**  
Brockway Centre Mich. My attention has just been called to an article in your issue of the 23 inst in relation to the grain market at your place. I have never seen a more gross and outrageous statement in regard to one of the very best markets in the state.

While the statements of your correspondent are wholly untrue, yet were they true, I cannot understand why one of your citizens should wish so to represent your market as to drive the grain from your village and thereby damage every branch of business. I have bought a large amount of all kinds of grain at your place, and at other points on the line of the Pt H. & N. W. R. R. and have to say that I pay as high prices as are paid on any line of road in the state where freights are the same. There is no time when the farmer does not get within six cents per bushel of the price paid in Detroit for his wheat, and out of this six cents must be paid the cost of buying, freight, &c.

Your wise correspondent asks: "Why does so much of the grain in this section find its way to other markets than our own?" In answer to this, I am well informed that so far this season over one hundred cars of grain have been marketed at your station. You are well aware that in consequence of the heavy damage done to the crops by the continued rains of last fall that the grain could not be marketed at the usual time, but is now coming forward very rapidly and will probably continue to do so during the winter. While at the market at which it has been your custom to sell, not one half of the above amount has been shipped. The reason I buy grain at your place is because I can get no one else to buy, and I would gladly close every agency I have and receive grain on consignment as is done in other cities if good buyers could be had at these stations, but is this the sort of appreciation we are to receive at your hands when we send our money and pay you the highest market prices for your grain, establishing a steady market which you have so far not done for yourselves. If the writer of the article to which I refer had taken the pains to inform himself upon the subject by comparing the prices paid with the Detroit markets he would at once have seen that we are paying really more than the grain is worth and if he is not satisfied of him buy a car of grain and ship to any market he may choose and if he should do so he will be the last man, in future, to state that the prices paid are too low. It is a fact that the prices paid for grain on the Port Huron & Northwestern Railroad average higher than on any other road in the state. It would also be proper for me to add that any shipper can get just the same rate of freight that I pay even if he does not ship ton cars during the season and that I have no advantage over any other consignor in rates, in any way or form, either direct or indirect. Hoping you may always have as good a market I remain, Yours Respectfully,

P. B. SANBORN.

**English the Blood.**  
Hamilton's German Bitters are highly recommended for all diseases requiring a cathartic and efficient tonic. Especially Indigestion, Dyspepsia, want of appetite, loss of strength, lack of energy, &c. They enrich the blood, strengthen the muscles, and give new life to the nerves. They set like a charm in the digestive organs, remove all dyspeptic symptoms, and whenever the stomach is weak, or there is a general loss of physical vigor, these bitters are just what you need. Only 50 cents per bottle. Sold by C. A. Wells & Co.

**MILLIONS of Persons**  
Die annually, who might be saved if attention was given to the little life of life, Cough, Colds, Sore Throat, &c. are easily cured by using Hamilton's Cough Balm which removes the itching in the throat and tightness across the chest, helps to throw off the poisonous matter and heals the inflamed membrane. Immediate relief will be found in Croup, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, &c. and even in chronic cases and last stage of consumption great relief is received. For instant consumption it works like a charm. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by C. A. Wells & Co.

**BIRTHS.**  
On Monday, Dec 4th, to the wife of W. G. Brown a daughter.

**TRIPLES.**—Born, in Lynn, on Sunday Nov 26th, three daughters to Mr and Mrs Wm Allen. The little-big brother made the announcement to friends as follows: "I've got three little sisters, and they're all girls."

**MARRIED.**  
Davenport.—Dated.—At the M. E. parsonage in this place by Rev A. J. Holmes. Mr I. B. Davenport, of Orwell, Ont., to Miss Estella A. Dufee, of Valley Centre, Mich.

**Smith-Stevens.**—At Port Huron on Wednesday, Nov 29th, Mr Ashly Smith to Miss Della Stevens all of this place.

**DIED.**  
On Monday, Dec 4th, at his residence in Spencer, Mr Michael Gleason, aged 70 years.

## The Central Drug Store!

**HOLIDAY GOODS!**

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—AT—  
**FRED. A. BAKER'S.**

**FARMERS!**

H. B. BUCKERIDGE. C. M. FULLER.

**H. B. BUCKERIDGE & CO.**

—PAY THE—

**Highest Market Prices!**

—FOR—

**POULTRY,**

**DRESSED HOGS,**

**BEANS,**

**BUTTER,**

**EGGS,**

**POTATOES, ETC.**

**CALL & GET PRICES**

before selling.

10 WATER STREET, EAST,

Port Huron, Mich.

**J. D. VIVIAN**

Has Just Received

—AT THE—

**Brockway Centre**

**CARRIAGE REPOSITORY**

50 Pr Horse Blankets,

25 Buffalo Robes.

25 Wolf Robes.

**20 CUTTERS,**

20 Set Single Harness,

Which I will sell below

**PORT HURON Prices!**

Come and Examine

**MY STOCK**

BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.

Next door to Rapley House.

**J. D. VIVIAN.**

**GEORGE GOUGH,**

**ARTIST,**

**Brockway Centre, Mich**

Wishes to inform the people in this vicinity that he has lately purchased the Photograph Gallery of John Grover and made many changes therein, one of which is a complete new outfit, which will enable him to give universal satisfaction to those wishing anything in his line.

**PHOTOGRAPHS, TIN-TYPES, INDIA**

**INK and CRAYON made in any size.**

Bring in your old pictures and have them enlarged. All orders settled for when ordered. **GEORGE GOUGH.**

**Subscribe!**

**FOR THE**

**Expositor.**

## THE "HOME INSURANCE COMPANY"

OF NEW YORK,

Takes risks and insures farm property against loss by

**Wind Storms Cyclones and Tornadoes**

Apply to

**James Brown, Agent.**

**A REMINDER!**

Our Goods were bought East for CASH at regular prices. They are CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST. The knife is in them and we will SELL, H. PRICES are any object.

**We have the best stock.**

**We have the Choicest stock.**

**We have the Cheapest stock.**

**And the Largest to select from.**

—WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT—

**ASTONISHING LOW PRICES!**

Remember we are selling off our entire Stock at a margin to simply cover expenses.

**W. H. PALMER,**

**CLEARING OUT SALE!**

**Holden Bros.**

ARE IN THE RACE. Although not getting a good send off we have the inside track and expect to lead on the home stretch and TAKE THE MONEY.

NOT ALL THE MONEY, as some of the more avaricious would desire, but we expect to get OUR SHARE. We have no old stock, damaged or unsaleable goods to palm off on the unsuspecting public under the disguise of Clearing Out at Cost.

**Our Entire Stock!**

IN THE DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

**IS ALL FRESH AND GENUINE.**

And our prices such (quality of goods considered) that will commend our goods to the public every time. We are not going out of business but intend to remain right where we are, keep our stores well stocked with choice and seasonable goods, carry on our clearing out sale indefinitely to make room for new goods that we are daily receiving. Remember that we have no old styles or damaged goods that we are compelled to mark down to dispose of them but have some extraordinary bargains that you cannot afford to miss. We do not advertise in all but will not be undersold by any other house. Come and see us before looking through our stock before purchasing. Resp'tly, **HOLDEN BROS.**

**T. DARCY & CO.,**

Have made another departure from their usual routine of business, and have made arrangements with the celebrated Ketchum Carriage Factory at Romeo to handle their goods. We have now on hand and for sale several very elegant Top Buggies of their manufacture, which for beauty of finish and cheapness in price cannot be beat in the State of Michigan. All of their work is warranted. Those who want cheap priced buggies combined with durability, Darcy & Co. can furnish them. Come and see us anyway before purchasing. **T. DARCY & CO.**

**BIG BARGAINS!**

**DRY GOODS!**

**AT**

**MESSRS GRANGER & CO'S**

**New Store,**

**IN THE CITY OPERA HOUSE BLOCK!**

(SOUTH SIDE.)

**PORT HURON, MICHIGAN**